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SUBJECT

JAVA - Father Evhen BARSHCHEVSKYI

ACTION REQUIRED - REFERENCES

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ACTION: Pass to SMABOVE with caveat, see paragraph 1.

1. Please pass the following to SMABOVE for their information but explain that it comes from a casual but sensitive source, who is considered reliable.

2. In early August 1963 source said that Father Evhen BARSHCHEVSKYI, Protoierei of the Ukrainian Orthodox Church, Edmonton, Alberta, with his wife, arrived in Edmonton in March 1963. Subject was one of the Ukrainian Orthodox priests sent by Metropolitan Aleksey's church to serve Orthodox communities in Canada. Two grown sons remained in the Ukraine.

3. Subject, a 60-year-old Ukrainian, completed his theological studies in Warsaw, Poland, then studied history in Prague, Czechoslovakia. During the German occupation of the Ukraine, he lectured at the Gymnasium in Chelm (Russian - Kholm), Poland or Hrubieszow (Russian - Grubeshov), Poland. Subject is a good theologian, very intelligent, suave and sympathetic. His wife is also very sympathetic and sociable. She speaks fair English.

4. Before leaving in June 1963 for a vacation with his wife in the Soviet Union, Subject confided to Source that if his children were not in the Ukraine, he would remain in Canada, "defect" and join the Ukrainian Catholic Church.

5. On 29 July 1963 Source learned that Subject and his wife had returned to Canada after having visited in Kirovograd, USSR.

6. In early 1963, when the Soviet Ambassador visited Edmonton, his secretary met Subject.

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